IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: T. KAWABE, et al.

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EDITING IMAGE DATA

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DATA

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<u>AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED</u> PROCEDURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 March 30, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 30, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments.